

d) REMARKS

The claims are 11-13 with claim 11 being independent. The application has been deemed in condition for allowance except for two formal matters. As requested, the specification has been amended to recite an issued patent number and claim 11 has been amended to substitute "predetermined" for --certain--. These are formal matters unrelated to patentability.

There being no further issues, the case should be passed to issue.

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Respectfully submitted,

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